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The Trying Time

In a young girl's life is reached when Nature leads her uncertain steps across the line which divides girlhood from womanhood. Ignorance and neglect at this critical period are largely responsible for much of the after misery of womanhood. Not only does Nature often need help in the regular establishment of the woman's normal function, but there is almost always need of some safe, strengthening tonic, to overcome the languor, nervousness and weakness, commonly experienced at this time.



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ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

Vice Admiral Togo made another desperate attempt early yesterday morning to bottle up the Russian fleet in Port Arthur, but he failed again, and when, after daylight, vice Admiral Makaroff steamed out to give battle, the Japanese commander refused the challenge and sailed away.

The moon rose soon after the Japanese ships appeared, and there was a terrific fight between torpedo boats in the moonlight.

The Japanese practically repeated the tactics of February 24 by sending in four fireships, preceded by a torpedo-boat flotilla, with the exception that the fireships this time were armed with Hotchkiss guns for the purpose of keeping off the Russian torpedo-boat destroyers.

The enemy's attempt was discovered by means of the shore searchlights, and a heavy fire was opened from the batteries and from two gunboats which were guarding the entrance to the harbor. The Russian torpedo-boat destroyer Sini was outside on scouting duty, and to the dash and nerve of her commander, Lieutenant Kriniski, is chiefly due the complete defeat of the plans of the Japanese. He at once made straight for the oncoming ships under a hail of fire from the Hotchkiss guns, and torpedoed the leading ship, which sheered off, followed by the others, three of them being piled upon the shore under Golden Hill and one under the lighthouse. The Sini then engaged the entire six torpedo boats of the enemy, coming out from a terrific fight with seven killed and her commander and 12 of her complement wounded, but on the Japanese side only one boat's crew was saved. In addition, according to unofficial reports, it is believed that the Japanese lost two torpedo boats. It is also reported that the Japanese torpedo boat was sunk.

The Japanese cruisers which supported the attack exchanged shots with the batteries, and then drew off, after which Vice Admiral Makaroff took a steam launch and examined the fireships. An hour later the Japanese torpedo flotilla, followed by Admiral Togo's fleet, came up from a southerly direction. Just at daylight Vice Admiral Makaroff, with his fleet, sailed out to engage the enemy, but after the ships and batteries had fired a few long-distant shots Vice Admiral Togo decided to decline the issue and disappeared to the southward.

A report from Vladivostok says that a mine has been discovered under the fortress, with wires leading to a Chinese house in the town.

It is stated on apparently reliable authority that Vice Admiral Makaroff's report of his reconnaissance of the Elliot Islands Saturday contained the startling statement that he captured a junk filled with Chinese regular troops, which was being towed by a Japanese gunboat.

Duchess a Heavy Plunger.

The Casino at Monte Carlo has just closed one of the most disastrous weeks it has had in years, a score or more of the biggest plungers that gather at the gaming tables having gone far into the treasury.

In the history of Monte Carlo never have so many notable persons gathered around the tables at the same time. Princes, princesses, dukes, duchesses and in fact about all grades of nobility have been there for a week trying their luck at the tables.

But, strange to say, of all the noteworthy gamblers in the Casino the one to attract most attention is a little American girl—the Duchess of Roxburgh, who was Miss May Golet, of New York, one of the richest heiresses in the world. The little duchess has already earned the reputation of being something of a plunger.

The American Duchess has been losing with great persistence ever since she and the Duke arrived there, and their friends say that together they have lost a snug fortune. But their losses appear to give them not the least worry. The Duchess was seen to bet \$500 on the turn of a card a night or two ago, and when she won she immediately put the entire \$1,000 on another turn—and lost. The Duke was not playing at the time, but sat just behind the Duchess and watched her play. She does not follow any of the systems that are generally in vogue, preferring to make random bets.

Another of the notable women plungers there is the Duchess of Devonshire, and luck has been against her, too. She has lost heavily during the week. To her friends she admits her losses now foot up to \$90,000, but there are whispers about the Casino and hotel corridors that the total is more like \$150,000.

The Duke, too, has fared very badly, and altogether the Devonshires are likely to quit the season among the heaviest of the losers.

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